VILLAGE OF COTTAGE GROVE

2021 BRUSH PICK-UP SCHEDULE

Brush collection will occur monthly during the <u>first full week</u> of each month starting in April and continuing through November (weather permitting).

Week of:

April 5th*
May 3rd
June 7th
July 6th**
August 2nd
September 7th**
October 4th
November 1st

Christmas tree pick-up will be the week of January 3, 2022

*April pick-up is weather dependent .

**Pick-up will begin on Tuesday due to holidays

Have your brush, stacked per Village requirements, **out by 6:00 a.m. on Monday of collection week**. In order to maintain efficient use of staff time, Public Works crews will be working through the Village once and not returning for brush that was not placed in time.

Please note the following:

- Brush collection is for brush trimmed by the homeowner only. Brush generated by a private contractor is to be disposed of by the contractor.
- While many Village residences abut public property, residents are not permitted to clear brush from public waterways, public natural spaces, parks or any Village-owned property.
- **NO** compost, root balls, barrels, lumber, furniture, bags or boxes of brush, or materials containing metal will be collected.
- All Christmas trees must be free of all items (stands, bags, tinsel, lights, ornaments, etc.) or they will not be collected.
- Large limbs are not to exceed 8 inches in diameter.
- Brush is to be stacked. If it is not stacked, it will not be collected.
- Maximum brush allowed is: 2 piles; 4 feet wide by 4 feet high by 10 feet long. Residences with piles exceeding this will be skipped and responsible for removal.

Please visit our website at www.village.cottage-grove.wi.us and click on the Public Works/Utilities tab to see the complete Brush Collection Policy.

The Village of Cottage Grove does <u>not</u> have a site for brush drop-off. Brush can be taken to the Dane County Landfill at 7102 US Hwy 12, Madison, WI 53718, phone number is 608-838-9555.

2020 COMPOST DROP OFF

The compost drop-off will continue to be located at the former Public Works Building at 225 Bonnie Road. Leaves and grass clippings can be deposited inside the cement barriers along the side of the building at any time. Please remember that woody material is not accepted at this drop off. The compost site is tentatively scheduled to open the week of **April 5, 2021** (weather dependent).